Please cancel claims 25 and 26 without prejudice or disclaimer of the matter therein.

Please amend claims 3-5, 8-17, 22 and 23 as follows:

3. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 1, [or 2] wherein/the flexible member is generally flat and planar.

(Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 1, 4. [any one of the preceding claims] wherein the conductive element is disposed on a central bend axis of the flexible member.

5. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 1, [any one of the preceding claims] wherein the conductive element is disposed on a substrate.

8. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in <u>claim 1,</u> [any one of the preceding claims] wherein the flexible member is biased towards a generally planar equilibrium.

(Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [any one of the preceding claims] claim 1, wherein the assembly further comprises a relatively rigid base portion for connecting the assembly to the telecommunication apparatus.

10. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] claim 1, [to 4] wherein the conductive element is a pre-formed wire.

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- 11. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] claim 1, [to 4] wherein the conductive member is a stamped out pattern from a planar sheet.

- (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 10, [or 11] wherein the conductive element is stainless steel or spring steel.

(Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] 13. claim 5, [to 9] wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of etching.

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14. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] claim 5, [to 9] wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of printing using conductive ink.

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- 15. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] claim 5, [to 9] wherein the substrate is polyester.
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- 16. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in [claims] claim 5, [to 9] wherein the substrate is polyamide.
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- 17. (Amended) An antenna assembly as claimed in <u>claim 1</u>, [any one of the preceding claims] wherein the flexible member is a thermo plastic elastomer.
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- 22. (Amended) A method as claimed in claim 20, [or 21] wherein the encapsulation is achieved by means of an injection moulding process.
- 23. (Amended) A method as claimed in <u>claim 21</u>, [or 22] wherein the flexible member is produced by moulding operations performed on opposing sides of the substrate.

v Please add new claims 27-52 as follows:

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- -- 27. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 2, wherein the flexible member is generally flat and planar.
- 28. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 2, wherein the conductive element is a pre-formed wire.

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- 29. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 3, wherein the conductive element is a pre-formed wire.
- 30. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 4, wherein the conductive element is a pre-formed wire.
- 31. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 2 wherein the conductive member is a stamped out pattern from a planar sheet.
- 32. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 3, wherein the conductive member is a stamped out pattern from a planar sheet.
- 33. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 4, wherein the conductive member is a stamped out pattern from a planar sheet.
- 34. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 11, wherein the conductive element is stainless steel or spring steel.
- 35. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 6, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of etching.

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- 36. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 7, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of etching.
- 37. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 8, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of etching.
- 38. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 9, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of etching.
- 39. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 6, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of printing using conductive ink.
- 40. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 7, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of printing using conductive ink.
- 41. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 8, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of printing using conductive ink.

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- 42. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 9, wherein the conductive element is disposed on the substrate by a process of printing using conductive ink.
- 43. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 6, wherein the substrate is polyester.
- 44. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 7, wherein the substrate is polyester.
- 45. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 8, wherein the substrate is polyester.
- 46. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 9, wherein the substrate is polyester.
- 47. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 6, wherein the substrate is polyamide.
- 48. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 7, wherein the substrate is polyamide.
- 49. An antenna assembly as claimed in claim 8, wherein the substrate is polyamide.